GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

IT,E&C Department – APSDWAN/APSWAN – Sanction and Release of Rs.3,25,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crores and Twenty Five Lakhs only) towards payment of Internet Charges/Broadband of APSWAN/APSDWAN and other IT Projects through APTS Ltd., Vijayawada - Administrative - Orders - Issued.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATIONS (COMM) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 81 **Dated: 22-12-2020**

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.2089, Finance (FMU-GAD.I) Dept., dt:05.08.2020.
2. Finance.U.O.No.FMU0MISC/581/2020, dt:09.12.2020.
3. Lr. No. APTS/IIP/258/2008, Dt:16.12.2020.

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ORDER:

Andhra Pradesh State Wide Area Network (APSWAN) is the backbone network for data, voice and video communications throughout the State connecting Secretariat, District Collectorates, Mandal Headquarters etc. In the vertical connectivity, the State Head Quarter (SHQ) is connected to the District Head Quarters (DHQs) using leased lines with 34 Mbps connectivity and each of the DHQ in turn is connected to the Mandal Head Quarters (MHQs) of that district using leased lines of 8 Mbps capacity. In the Horizontal connectivity, various Government offices have been connected at respective SHQ/DHQ/MHQ's with 2/4/8/10 Mbps point to point connectivity.

2. The Government has desired that the existing obsolescence equipment may result in higher maintenance cost and higher failures. To overcome the existing APSWAN problems faced in providing the important connectivity to all Government Departments for providing good eGovernance and citizen services throughout the State, Government has decided to establish Software Defined Wide Area Network (SDWAN) to maintain the branches centrally including network management to the Departments with multi locations and other services, duly upgrading the existing APSWAN through APTS.

3. Vide G.O. 1st read above, the Finance Department has released quarterly budget distribution to incur expenditure for the Financial Year 2020-21.

4. Vide U.O. note 2nd read above, the Finance Department has issued quarterly relaxation orders for utilization of 4th quarter budget amount of Rs.3,25,00,000/- in 3rd quarter during the F.Y. 2020-21 under the Head of Account:3451-00-090-11-46-130-138 towards payment of Internet Charges/Broadband of APSWAN/APSDWAN and other IT Projects for implementation of the scheme of ITE&C Department.

5. Vide letter 3rd read above, the APTS Ltd., has requested to release an amount of Rs.3,25,00,000/- towards payment of Internet Charges/Broadband of APSWAN/APSDWAN and other IT projects.

P.T.O.,

6. Government after careful consideration, hereby sanction and release an amount of Rs.3,25,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crores and Twenty Five Lakhs only) towards payment of Internet Charges/Broadband of APSWAN/APSDWAN and other IT projects through Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Technology Services Ltd., Vijayawada.

7. The amount sanctioned and released at Para 6 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account:

M.J.H 3451	:	Secretariat Economic services
00	:	Not Applicable
M.H 090	:	Secretariat
G.S.H 11	:	State Development Schemes
S.H 46	:	Software Defined WAN – Providing Network-as-a-Service (SDWAN - Naas)
D.H 130	:	Office Expenses
S.D.H 138	:	Office Expenses – Internet Charges/Broadband

8. The Drawing and Disbursing Officer (Code:2700-1701-024), IT,E&C Department shall draw the amount sanctioned in Para (6) above by preferring an adjustment bill and credit an amount of Rs.3,25,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crores and Twenty Five Lakhs only) to the P.D. Account of Managing Director, APTS Ltd., with the following Credit Head of Account:

Head of Account : 8443-00-106-02-20-017-001-VN
DDO Code : 2703-2003-001

9. The APTS Ltd., should utilize the amount for the purposes specified above as per the terms and conditions in vogue and furnish the Utilization Certificate along with details of expenditure.

10. These orders are issued with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.FMU0MISC/581/2020, dt:09.12.2020.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

BHANU PRAKASH YETURU
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Managing Director, APTS Ltd (Andhra Pradesh Unit), Vijayawada.
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